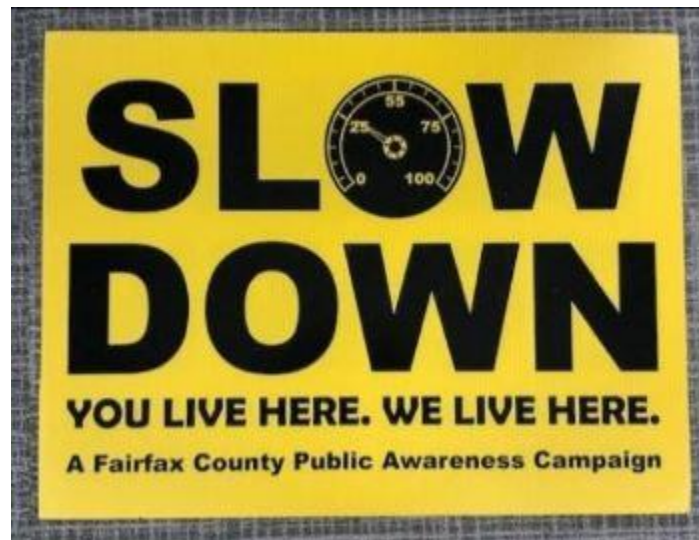




A message from Kathy Smith




Recently we received a new batch of Slow Down signs (pictured above) available at the Sully Governmental Center (4900 Stonecroft Boulevard, Chantilly, VA 20151). If you are interested in obtaining one for your yard, stop by the office Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Please remember to place them on your property and not in the VDOT right of way.

The county is holding engagement events for residents to share their thoughts, insights, opinions, and experiences that will help shape the county-wide strategic plan. The event in the Sully District will take place at Ox Hill Baptist Church on Thursday, March 14, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. I hope to see you there! More information is below in the "Reminders" section.


Sincerely,

Kathy

Sully District Budget Town Hall



SULLY DISTRICT TOWN HALL
to discuss the
Fairfax County FY 2020 Budget



Supervisor Kathy Smith and School Board Member Tom Wilson

Wednesday, March 13, 2019;
7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Please join Supervisor Kathy Smith, School Board Member Tom Wilson, and Budget staff from Fairfax County and Fairfax County Public Schools to discuss the FY 2020 budgets.

Location:
Chantilly High School
Lecture Hall
4201 Stringfellow Road
Chantilly, VA 20151

For more information, contact:
Email: Sully@fairfaxcounty.gov
Phone: 703-814-7100

This event is co-sponsored by Supervisor Kathy Smith, School Board Representative Tom Wilson, and the Sully District Council.

Reminders!

Sully Scout Station Tour:

Date: Saturday, March 2, 2019

Time: 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Location: Sully District Police Station (4900 Stonecroft Boulevard, Chantilly, VA 20151)

The tours will be done by appointment only. It is a first come, first serve basis so make sure to reserve your spot. This is for all Boy and Girl Scout troops that would like to have a short presentation on the Police Department and a group tour of the police station. Please sign-up for a 1-hour slot and have your group ready to go right at the specific time slot. [Click here to sign-up](#). Call the station at 703-814-7100 and speak with Officer Meg Hawkins for more information.

The Fairfax County Strategic Plan Public Meetings:

Date: Monday, March 4, 2019

Time: 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Location: [Reston Community Center](#) (2310 Colts Neck Road, Reston, VA 20191)

Date: Wednesday, March 6, 2019

Time: 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Location: [James Lee Community Center](#) (2855 Annandale Road, Falls Church, VA 22042)

Date: Thursday, March 14, 2019

Time: 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Location: [Ox Hill Baptist Church](#) (4101 Elmwood Street, Chantilly, VA 20151)

The county will hold engagement events in every region of the county. The meetings will be organized into moderated conversation groups of residents from your local community where you will have the opportunity to share your thoughts, insights, opinions, and experiences that will be used to help shape a countywide strategic plan.

Arrangements for child care and transportation assistance, and interpretation services can be made by calling Amy Ordonez at 703-787-4962, TTY 711, or emailing amy.ordonez@fairfaxcounty.gov.

National Consumer Protection Week Events:

Virginia Department of Treasury: Unclaimed Property Program

Date: Monday, March 4, 2019

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Location: Sully Senior Center (14426 Albemarle Point Place, Chantilly, VA)

HomeFit Workshop

Date: Monday, March 4, 2019

Time: 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Location: Fairfax County Government Center; Conference Room 8 (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA)

Homeowner Education: Resale Disclosure Packets and Certificates

Date: Tuesday, March 5, 2019

Time: 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

Location: Fairfax County Government Center; Conference Room 4/5 (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA)

Consumer Information Booth

Date: Tuesday, March 5, 2019

Time: 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Location: Centreville Regional Library (14200 St. Germain Drive, Centreville, VA)

Cable TV: Getting What You Pay For

Date: Wednesday, March 6, 2019

Time: 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

Location: Fairfax County Government Center; Conference Room 4/5 (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA)

Consumer Information Booth

Date: Thursday, March 7, 2019

Time: 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Location: Chantilly Regional Library (4000 Stringfellow Road, Chantilly, VA)

Internet and Phone Scams

Date: Thursday, March 7, 2019

Time: 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

Location: Fairfax County Government Center; Conference Room 4/5 (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA)

For more information about these events, click [here](#).

Canada Goose Management Strategies Workshop

Canada Goose Management Strategies

A free workshop for parks, private citizens, homeowner associations, schools, golf courses, corporate parks, etc.



Wednesday, March 6th, 2019
10:00- 11:30 am
Fairfax County Animal Shelter
4500 West Ox Rd., Fairfax, VA 22030



Learn about Canada goose behavior, effective goose management techniques (egg oiling, border collies, exclusion techniques), community case studies and regulations.

For more information and to register please contact:

Kristen Sinclair (703) 324-8559
kristen.sinclair@fairfaxcounty.gov

(limited to 40 participants)
Register by March 4th



Sponsored by the:

- Fairfax County Wildlife Biologist
- Fairfax County Park Authority



Fairfax County Public Library Maker Day



Makerspaces and Maker Faires are becoming more popular as schools and communities embrace hands-on STEAM learning opportunities for students. The Fairfax County Public Library (FCPL) is joining the maker movement with the first annual FCPL Maker Day on **Saturday, March 9, 2019**. Several branches are hosting events that are geared toward inventing, creating, and tinkering, with the goal of helping children learn through doing. Some events require registration, so check before you go.

[Centreville Regional Library:](#)

- 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. - [How to Build a Robot](#)

[Chantilly Regional Library:](#)

- 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. - [Arduinos](#)
- 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. - [Create!](#)

For the full schedule of FCPL Maker Day events, [click here](#).

Rt. 28 Widening Project Community Meeting

Route 28 Widening Project

From Prince William County/Fairfax County Line to Route 29



This project is funded
in part by NVTA

PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

Tuesday, March 12, 2019, 7 p.m.,
Centre Ridge Elementary School, Cafeteria
14400 New Braddock Road, Centreville.

Project Website

www.fairfaxcounty.gov/transportation/projects/route28-widening

Accessibility

*The Fairfax County Department of Transportation (FCDOT) ensures nondiscrimination in all programs and activities in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). If you need this information in an alternate format or would like to request reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency for events, contact FCDOT at 703-877-5600, TTY 711. **Requests for assistance must be received at least 7 business days in advance of an event.***

Volunteer Opportunity



Election Officers Needed!

The Office of Elections is currently recruiting voters to serve as Election Officers a few days a year, including the upcoming [2019 elections](#). Election Officers are needed at each of the 243 precincts in Fairfax County to run the polls and assist voters. [Training](#) begins in April. To apply, fill and submit the [online form](#).

There is a particular need for language officers in certain areas of the county who speak Korean or Vietnamese.

In order to be an Election Officer, you must:

- Be fluent in English
- Be a registered voter in the Commonwealth of Virginia
- Be able to fulfill the Federal I-9 employment eligibility requirements
- Attend a 3-hour training class
- Arrive at the polling place at 5:00 a.m. and remain until all work has been completed after the polls close at 7:00 p.m.
- Have basic computer skills

The Election Officer's main priority is to ensure the accuracy and integrity of the election process.

A typical Election Day consists of:

- arriving one hour before polls open to set up voting equipment
- hanging up pertinent signage
- preparing the polling room for voting
- processing voters throughout the day
- assisting with operating voting equipment
- securing voting equipment and closing down the polling place at the end of the day

Election Officers are offered a stipend of \$175 for serving the full day. We especially encourage bilingual citizens to serve as we need language assistance in many precincts. Residency in Fairfax County is not required.

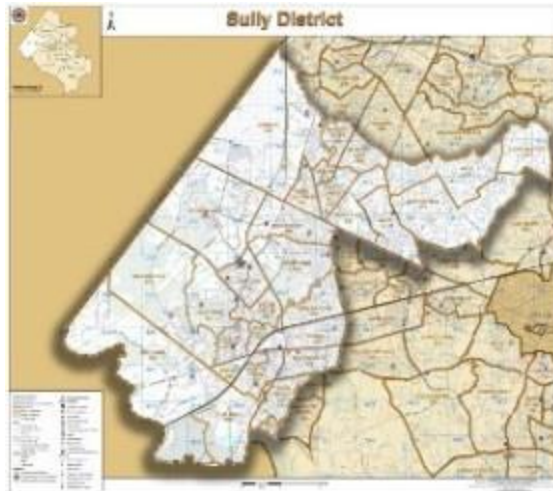
It is a wonderful opportunity for those interested in the election process or public service, as we need civic-minded individuals to help make Election Day a success!

[View the "Being an Election Officer" Video](#)

[Listen to the Podcast "Need for Election Officers"](#)

For more information, contact the Office of Elections at 703-324-4735 or visit their [website](#).

Sully Land Use Spotlight



Upcoming Meetings:

Board of Supervisors Meeting -

The Board of Supervisors will meet on **Tuesday, March 5, 2019** at 9:30 a.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035) in the Board Auditorium. The meeting will be broadcast live on [Channel 16](#). There are no Sully cases on the [agenda](#).

Planning Commission Meeting -

The Planning Commission will meet on **Wednesday, March 6, 2019** at 7:30 p.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035) in the Board Auditorium. The meeting will be broadcast live on [Channel 16](#). Meetings are also recorded on videotapes and audiocassettes, both of which are available for review at the Planning Commission office, by appointment. There is one Sully case on the [agenda](#). More information is below.

PA 2018-III-DS1 (Dulles Suburban Center, Land Unit J) -

On May 15, 2018, the Board of Supervisors authorized the consideration of Comprehensive Plan Amendment 2018-III-DS1, for Land Unit J of the Dulles Suburban Center.

The Board motion stated that the Plan amendment should consider the addition of new land uses generally within the current overall baseline intensity of .05 FAR, and that the review should include potential new areas for residential development, including areas not currently envisioned for residential use by the Plan as a result of airport noise contours identified on a 1992 map. To view the staff report, [click here](#).

The public hearing for this application took place on February 27, 2019. The application was deferred to the March 6, 2019 meeting for decision only.

Rec-PAC Summer Hiring, Don't Miss Out!



This year the Fairfax County Park Authority's Rec-PAC summer camp program will operate at 45 elementary school locations around Fairfax County on weekdays from July 1 through August 8, 2019. During the summer, staff will be assigned to a site and work daily from 8:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Lots of qualified applicants are expected to apply so plan on attending an early open hire to ensure a spot working for FCPA this summer!

Open Hire Dates:

Location: Herrity Building (12055 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035)

Time: 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Dates:

- Tuesday, March 5, 2019
- Friday, March 15, 2019
- Thursday, May 23, 2019
- Tuesday, June 11, 2019

For the full schedule of open hire events, [click here](#).

Applicants are required to bring an original Social Security Card and a DMV photo ID. Only those who are 18 years of age and older will be considered. For more information, [click here](#).

2019 Parks Poetry Contest



The Fairfax County Park Authority and the Fairfax County Park Foundation invite students in grades K-8 to enter the 2019 Poetry Contest in honor of National Poetry Month in April. This year's theme is "Game On!" We want to hear how parks fill our community with fun, joy, and excitement.

Students in grades K-8 may submit original works no longer than one page. They may be handwritten or typed and submitted online or by mail. Parent or sibling help is encouraged. **All entries must be received by 4:00 p.m. EST on Thursday, March 14, 2019.**

Six lucky winners will be invited to read their poem at a poetry showcase during SpringFest at Sully Historic Site on April 27, 2019. Winners will also receive a \$50

Fairfax County Park Authority gift card to continue exploring Fairfax parks all year long. For more information, or to enter, [click here](#).

Made in Fairfax Forum



Date: Thursday, March 28, 2019

Time: 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Location: Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035)

Please join us for our second Made in Fairfax Forum to hear from Ilana Preusa of Recast City, a national leader in the small-scale production industry, who will present findings and recommendations from a six month study on how creative entrepreneurs and the County can work together to support this innovative blend of economic and community development. The forum is open to all residents, businesses, and property owners/investors in Fairfax County. To register for this

event, [click here](#).

For questions, feedback, or reasonable ADA accommodations, contact Fairfax County Revitalization Manager Doug Loescher at 703-324-9305, TTY 711 or email douglas.loescher@fairfaxcounty.gov.

NOVA Health Campaign to Raise Awareness of TB with High-Risk Groups

Public health officials in Northern Virginia are launching a region-wide tuberculosis awareness campaign, hoping to dispel myths and address barriers to testing and early treatment for those most at risk for TB.

TB is a disease, caused by bacteria, that can spread from one person to another. Most often TB affects the lungs, but you can find it in any part of the body. TB spreads through the air when someone who is sick with TB disease of the lungs or throat coughs, speaks, or laughs; people who are nearby can breathe TB germs into their lungs and become infected.

About one-third of the world's population has latent TB infection, which means that they have been infected by the TB bacteria but do not feel sick or have any symptoms and cannot spread the bacteria to others. Without treatment, these individuals are at risk of becoming ill with active TB disease, which is contagious.

Important Things to Know About TB:

- TB can be treated and cured.
- Receiving BCG, or TB vaccine, in the past does not provide lifelong protection from TB infection or disease.

- Everyone should know the symptoms of TB: coughing that lasts more than 2 weeks, weight loss, fatigue, and sweating at night. People with these symptoms should think TB and see a doctor or call the local health department.

For more information about TB in Fairfax, [click here](#) or call 703-246-2433, TTY 711.



**My TB test is positive,
but I feel fine. Can I still
get sick?**

YES.

If you don't get treated, TB (tuberculosis) continues to live in your body.
You may be infected if you've spent time in a country where TB is common. If you have a positive TB test, or think you may be at risk, call your doctor or health department.

The TB vaccine doesn't protect you for life. TB can be treated and cured.

To learn more about TB, go to:
fairfaxcounty.gov/health
or call 703-246-2411, TTY 711.

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The Green Column



I presented a Board Matter on February 19 which targeted two main issues related to the environment: wishful recycling and plastic bags for yard waste disposal.

Wishful recycling refers to the act of placing an item in a recycling bin with hopes that it would be recycled. However, incorrect items and even accepted ones, if prepared improperly, introduce contamination and harm our recycling efforts. Here in Fairfax County, the local third-party recycling processor says nearly 30 percent of material received is actually trash. The negative impact of this practice is becoming harder to overcome due to recent market developments. China, who has been the largest importer of recyclable goods, instituted a policy change in 2017 which drastically lowered the allowable levels of contamination. For this reason, I have requested for county staff to determine a list of acceptable items and best recycling practices. For tips on how to adjust your recycling habits, [click here](#).

The second issue my Board Matter addressed was the use of plastic bags for the collection of yard waste. County staff estimates that about 20 percent of the yard waste material sticks to plastic bags and have to be thrown out. Plastic bags not only threaten composting efficiency, but also the environment as they are prone to

being shredded during processing. Termed microplastics, these tiny pieces of plastic eventually end up in our land and waterways - the size and non-biodegradable nature of this pollutant means that limiting plastic use at the source is the best course of action. Switching to paper bags for yard waste collection is a necessary change especially in the face of growing environmental concerns. Grasscycling, mulching, and composting are other environmentally sound alternatives to bagging grass clippings and leaves. The adverse effects of using plastic yard waste bags suggest that the conversation to replace them with paper bags must be revisited. Therefore, I have directed county staff to examine the use of paper bags as opposed to plastic ones for the collection of yard waste. For more information on what to do with your yard waste, [click here](#).

County staff will report to the Board of Supervisors via a memo, or at a future Environmental Committee meeting regarding both of the above mentioned topics. Following the proper recycling procedures in the midst of a changing market can be a difficult task for all of us. I know that my own assumption of what is recyclable have not always held true. It is my hope that a renewed emphasis on community outreach by the Board of Supervisors will help to anchor the moving target that is recycling.

Animal Shelter Corner



Meet Sprite!

Age: Unknown

Gender: Female

Color: White

Spayed/Neutered: No

Size: Medium

S. is for sleep sack - she's a big fan! Happy to hang out in your palm or perch on a shoulder, but what she REALLY digs is to snuggle in when you turn a washcloth into a relaxation hammock!

P. is for petite pet - even though she still has some growing to do and is the

smallest of all her siblings, she will still make a great mini pal of potential adopters!

R. is for reserved - naps naps naps are all the rage for this naturally nocturnal sweetie, but once she's out she will take all the gentle ear rubs and cheek strokes you can give!

I. is for independent - being the only girl of her bunch she is currently solo in her habitat so she's really going to love a human buddy to share her free time with!

T. is for treats - who doesn't love snacks? Rats are known for their trainable tricks, so if they know cheese is involved, you will have yourself a good old bribe of a time!

E. is for entertaining - Such a lovable little rattie ready for her forever home and ready to bring you hours of fun!

The adoption fee for small animals, including rats, is \$5.

For more information about Sprite, contact the Fairfax County Animal Shelter at 703-830-1100 or by email at AnimalShelter@fairfaxcounty.gov.
